



## **Indiana Professional Standards Board**

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### **Friday Update: November 5, 2004**

#### **November Board Meeting**

The IPSB will meet on Tuesday, November 16 for a discussion session and on Wednesday, November 17 for the business session. Topics for the discussion session include NACTE partnership agreement, NASDTEC compact agreement, and on line out of state programs.

#### **IMAP Enrollment**

As of November 1, there were 3,235 individuals enrolled in programs for beginning teachers, administrators, and school counselors. The current total includes the following:

Rules 2002	IMAP Year 1 teachers	626
	IMAP Year 1 administrators	89
	IMAP Year 1 counselors	5
	IMAP Year 2 teachers	39
	IMAP Year 2 administrators	22
Rules 46-47	BTIP Year 1 teachers	2399
	BTIP Year 2 teachers	55

#### **Initial or Advanced Program?**

For NCATE accreditation purposes, there are differences in how initial and advanced programs are defined. Initial program doesn't always mean undergraduate program.

Initial programs are "programs at baccalaureate **or** post baccalaureate levels that prepare candidates for the first license to teach." IPSB developmental and content standards and the INTACS principles are the foundations for these programs.

Advanced preparation programs are "programs at the post baccalaureate levels for 1) the continuing education of teachers who have previously completed initial preparation or 2) the preparation of other professional school personnel." IPSB developmental and content standards, the Core Propositions of the National Board for Professional Teaching Standards (NBPTS) and specialized professional associations (SPA) standards are the foundations for these programs.

Thus, you may have programs on your campus that are at the graduate level but considered an initial program for NCATE accreditation purposes.

#### **Administrative Mentor Training**

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*If Indiana students are to achieve high standards, there must be competent, caring, and qualified educators to get them there.*

The following training sessions for IMAP school leaders mentors have been scheduled.

January 21, 2005	Indiana University- Kokomo Contact Person: Chuck Little <a href="mailto:clittle@iupui.edu">clittle@iupui.edu</a>
February 24, 2005	North Wood Middle School 207 North Elkhart, Box 367 Wakarusa, IN 46573 Contact Person: Stan Spencer <a href="mailto:sspencer@niesc.k12.in.us">sspencer@niesc.k12.in.us</a>
April 15, 2005	Region 6 Educational Service Center 2939 41st Street Highland, IN 46322 Contact Person: Janet Flores <a href="mailto:sherwood@nwiesc.k12.in.us">sherwood@nwiesc.k12.in.us</a>

Sessions will begin at 9:00 am and conclude at 1:00 pm

**Did You Know?** Special topics bulletins with data on such issues as limited licenses are available at <http://www.in.gov/psb/specialtopicsbulletin.html>

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